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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated December 5, 2001 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE DRAWINGS

Authorization in a separate letter filed concurrently with this response, is sought to amend Fig. 2 in a manner which eliminates the duplicate use of the numeral 14 in Fig. 2.

In connection with the requirement to illustrate the "lateral flanks having a frustoconical shape", attention is called to Figs 3 and 4. As shown in these drawings, the flange discs 12 flare outwardly. The inboard ends of these flange discs are fastened to angled sides or flanks of the pulley. These angled sides impart a frustoconical shape on that portion of the pulley.

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